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Applicant: Keyes et al.

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2. Applicant

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EXTENSION OF TERM

	3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.									
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable) (a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)									
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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable) An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid										
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